

and to hold the sd. several pieces or parcels of land containing 300 acres be the same more or less with all hereditaments & appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the sd. Gautier & Rich^d. their heirs & assigns forever the sd. Josiah Lewis by virtue of his said office agreeing to warrant & forever defend the premises aforesd. & every part & parcel thereof unto the sd. Gautier & Rich^d. their heirs & assigns against all lawful claim or demands arising by from or under him his heirs ex^{or}. adm^r. or assigns. In Witness whereof the sd. Josiah Lewis as High Sh^{eriff} aforesd. hath hereunto set his hand & seal this aforesd. day of Sept A.D. 1804.

Sealed & delivered
in presence of
J. Campbell

J. Lewis Sheriff (Seal)
Sept. Term 1804.

This deed was ack^d.
in open Court & ordered to be registered
Attest J. S. Purdie C.C.

John G. Suell
Benjamin Mills
Elemer Williams
to
Peter Wm Gautier

This Indenture the 2^d day of July in the year of our Lord 1802 between J. Suell, Benj^m Mills, James Williams & Eleoner his wife (late Eleoner Heale) all of the Co of Brunswick in the State of No Carolina of the one part & Peter Wm Gautier of the Co. of Bladen in the sd. State planter of the other part whereas in & by a certain instrument of writing made & executed on the in term marriage of the said James with the sd. Eleoner sundry negro slaves were assigned to the sd. John G. Suell & Benj^m Mills in trust for the use of the sd. Eleoner & such issues as might attend that marriage & whereas the comfort & accommodation of the said Eleoner & her children by the sd. marriage require than a sale of some part of the assigned property should be effected. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that for & in Consideration of the sum of 225 pounds current money of the state aforesaid in hand paid to John G. Suell and Benj^m Mills Trustees before named by the said Peter Wm Gautier to & for the use of the said Eleoner & her children by the said marriage rec^t. of which sum the said Trustees do hereby ack^d. they the sd. John G. Suell Benj^m Mills & Williams & Eleoner his wife have bargained & sold assigned & set over to the sd. Peter Wm Gautier a certain negro man slave about 25 years of age named Jim commonly known by the appellation of Jim Peterson formerly of the estate of the late Tho^s Heale Esq^r the elder & one of the negroes conveyed in trust as aforesd.

To Have & to hold the sd. negro man slave hereby bargained & sold unto the sd. Peter Wm Gautier his ex^{or}. adm^r. & assigns forever they the said John G. Suell Benj^m Mills James & Eleoner Williams jointly & severally by these presents for themselves & each of them, their heirs ex^{or}. and